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PUBLIC SCOPING MEETING
U.S. Department of Energy
Carbon Sequestration Program

The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), Office of Fossil Energy (FE), invites you to participate in a meeting to discuss the planned preparation of a Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (PEIS) for the DOE/FE Carbon Sequestration Program. The PEIS will evaluate the issues and impacts associated with the demonstration and deployment of technologies to implement the key elements of the Program, including: carbon dioxide capture; sequestration (geologic, oceanic, and terrestrial); measurement, monitoring, and verification (MMV); and breakthrough concepts. Major initiatives to demonstrate the key elements of the Program may require collaboration with Federal agencies, state and regional governments, and private sector partnerships. For additional information about the Program, see:

www.netl.doe.gov/coalpower/sequestration/index.html.

Comments from interested individuals, organizations, and agencies will be solicited regarding environmental issues that should be considered in advance of DOE decisions regarding implementation of the Program. The schedule and location for the meeting are noted below:

Date & Time: **May 18, 2004 (Tuesday), 7:00pm**

Location: The Greater Columbus Convention Center, 400 North High St., Columbus, OH 43215

Note: The meeting will be preceded by an informal information session beginning at 4:00 pm.

In addition to providing comments at the public meeting, you are invited to submit written or oral comments or suggestions on the scope of the environmental analysis to DOE:

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Individuals desiring to speak at the public meeting may either notify DOE in advance or register at the meeting. Following introductory remarks by DOE, speakers will be called in the order that requests to speak were received; speakers will be asked to limit their initial comments to 5 minutes. Following completion of comments by registered speakers, the meeting will be open for additional comments, after which speakers needing more than 5 minutes will be invited to complete their statements. DOE and project personnel will be available at the meeting location for informal discussions in advance of the meeting.

Comments presented at the meeting or received at DOE by June 25, 2004 will be considered when preparing the Draft PEIS that will be made available for public review.